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Sir:

To comply with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 CFR 1.56, the attached PTO-1449 is submitted herewith to the Examiner for consideration in connection with the examination of the above-identified application. No copies of the prior art are attached as they have been submitted on the same date as this request in parent application Serial No. 10/079,257 filed February 19, 2002 as agreed to by the grant of the petition submitted herewith. Also attached is the headings of three litigations involving a related application as per 2001.06(c) MPEP.

No fee for this IDS is necessary since no Office Action has issued.

Respectfully submitted,

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